Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 02 Sep 2023 until 23:59 on Sunday 03 Sep 2023

Forecast Issued on Saturday 02 Sep 2023 at 00:05

Confidence: High confidence for more settled conditions to develop through the weekend into next week with warmer temperatures. Moderate for morning mist, fog and low cloud extent and duration.

Headline for Saturday 02 Sep 2023: Low cloud breaking to give sunnier spells by afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 02 Sep 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG					
Fog	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	20%	20%	10%	<05%

Forecast for Saturday 02 Sep 2023

Weather: Areas of low cloud and valley fog at first, this most extensive across the east of the park, whereas western areas may be largely clear. Cloud will gradually lift and break through the morning into the afternoon to give way to brighter spells and just the low chance of a light afternoon shower. Dry and largely clear into the evening, perhaps with some valley mist and fog forming towards midnight. Feeling warm with light winds.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 60% at first, increasing to 100% by mid-late morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread low cloud at first in the north and east with bases 200-300m and tops 600-800m. Highest summits are expected to be clear of cloud until briefly becoming obscured as cloud lifts during the morning. Cloud expected to be clear of summits from late morning. Generally very good visibility once any early low cloud lifts and breaks, with clear views of surrounding hills in the afternoon. Visibility very poor in low cloud covering the hills, however.

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Forecast for Saturday 02 Sep 2023

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/10 NE	8/10 NE	7/11 NE	5/7 NE	4/6 E	4/6 NE	6/7 E
300	2/7 NE	5/8 NE	6/10 E	3/6 E	3/6 NE	2/3 S	2/3 NE
Valley	1/5 NE	4/7 NE	5/9 E	3/6 SE	3/6 NE	3/4 NW	2/4 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	12/11	13/12	15/14	18/17	17/17	15/14	14/13
300	12/12	15/14	19/18	20/20	19/19	14/14	12/12
Valley	12/13	16/16	19/19	21/21	19/20	14/15	12/13
Freezing Level*	2500m	2500m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Difficult navigation at first in the north and east until cloud lifts clear of summits. Otherwise, feeling warm with moderate UV levels expected, so sun protection and adequate hydration are advised.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Sat 02 Sep 2023	0.2mm	3.4mm	3.4mm

Forecast for Sunday 03 Sep 2023

Weather: Any early mist and fog patches in the valleys, perhaps with some low cloud on western slopes at first, gradually clearing to leave a fine day with lengthy warm sunny spells and light winds. Remaining dry into the evening with fog patches redeveloping later.

Maximum wind: Westerly or southwesterly 5-10 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 70% at first, becoming 100% by mid-morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Areas of mist or fog at first in some valleys, with some low cloud on western slopes, base 100-300m, giving very poor visibility but quickly clearing. Otherwise, likely clear views of distant hills throughout.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 15 Celsius rising to plus 23 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 15 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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